

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 323  
By Cooper

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Morgan Curtis, 2005  
Valedictorian of Van Buren County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Morgan Curtis is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Van Buren County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Curtis has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Morgan Curtis has earned an exemplary 4.225 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, for her exceptional academic performance, Ms. Curtis has received numerous awards and honors, including the Science Award, U.S. History Award, Math Award, and Leadership Award; and

WHEREAS, Morgan Curtis has dedicated much of her time and talents to many extracurricular organizations and activities, including the basketball team, AmeriCorps, and the Beta Club, which she served ably as President; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Curtis's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success at Tennessee Tech University, which she will attend on a full scholarship, AmeriCorps Scholarship, and Alumni Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Morgan Curtis's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Michael and Penny Curtis, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Curtis's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Van Buren County High School Valedictorian, Morgan Curtis, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.